

The High Level Bridge Must go Say Engineers

When the minister and deputy minister and the chief bridge man for the province was here last week the chief concern was about the high level bridge over the Bulkley river at Haggwilget. The engineers for years have been condemning the structure and apparently condemning the site as well for numerous engineers have been employed year after year to find a better or another site. Thus far success has not been theirs.

The one site which might be substituted, 900 feet up stream from the present bridge, would permit a reasonable crossing, but it would also provide a long six per cent grade and a considerable new road expenditure. Naturally the local people do not like it and especially those engaged haul-timber and ore to the station.

However, the chiefs have decided that further information was desirable and necessary before the site was definitely decided upon and that information will be dug up this summer. Thus the construction of the new bridge will be delayed until fall anyway. But a new bridge is necessary according to the engineers. That new one is to be a two way bridge and it will be built to handle all the traffic that is offered for many years to come all of which is quite satisfactory if the engineers take into consideration the cost to the people using the bridge if they have to haul half a mile further over a six per cent grade.

OFF TO VICTORIA

Dr. Winch was in Terrace a couple of days this week calling on his constituents and looking over the outlying sections to see what the road requirements were. While he did not go into any details of what he found he quite probably discovered that lots of money can still be spent on what are now called farmers roads, viz., those side roads which enable the settlers to connect up with the main highway.

ONE DROWNED ONE SAVED

Wm. Grell of Ootsa Lake lost his life in the rapids of Tahtsa river on July 1st when his boat struck a log jam, says the Burns Lake Observer. The other occupant of the boat was J. H. Dawson of Victoria who had been in to the Whitesall district looking over mining properties. Grell had accompanied him on the trip and they were on the return trip. Dawson made a landing on an island, but Grell took a cramp and disappeared, although at one time it looked as though he would save himself. Dawson was rescued by George Seal who happened along in a gas boat. Mr. Grell had been in the district for a number of years and was well known and had many friends.

The new timothy seed thresher for Chas. Barrett arrived the first of the week and is being made ready to handle this years crop. Jack Price has also received his new tractor, the biggest one in the Valley.

After looking over several properties in the Interior J. D. Galloway left the first of the week for Stenart.

Dr. H. C. Winch, M. L. A., leaves this Friday for Victoria to meet with Premier Oliver and other members of the Liberal party to discuss the future policy and leader of the party in the province. He expects to be back in ten days at the longest.

Telkwa Tales

Inspector of the R. C. M. P. Wood of Prince Rupert is having a holiday in town and has taken the McDowell house.

Reigel and Oberhalster left Tuesday to do assessment work on Hunter Basin properties.

Frank Taylor of Topley is in the Hunter Basin district looking over a number of prospects.

Mrs. McAra and son are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Sproole.

The graveling crew has moved from the east end of the district to the new highway from Smithers and will put gravel on the section around Evelyn and then work westward. Originally it had been announced that the road from Morricetown to New Hazelton was to be rebuilt and gravelled right through this year, but the other work has been deemed more necessary.

There was a good crowd from district points at the annual farmers picnic at Round Lake on Wednesday. A program of sports, chiefly for the children was run off in the afternoon. After dinner the annual farmers dance was held in the community hall and a big crowd was present, coming from all directions. The affair was a big financial success.

The nursing home at Telkwa was benefitted materially as the result of a dance in the Telkwa hall last Friday night. Gazley's orchestra furnished the music. There was a good crowd present in spite of the short notice given. A dance at Telkwa is always of a high order.

Mr. Chetleborough's family is under quarantine for scarlet fever. No other cases are known of in the district and this one is a mystery.

J. A. Archer, general manager of the First National Pictures on whose circuit the Hazelton theatre is, was here over the week end and discussed business with Norman R. Carey, manager of the local theatre.



Hon. Mr. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture and a recent visitor here.

At the New Hazelton station the car platform was completed last week. It is now the work of but a minute to load or unload a car here.

Public Works Officials Look Over Roadway

P. Philip, deputy minister of Public Works, A. L. Carruthers, chief bridge engineer, G. C. McKay, district engineer, were in Terrace the first of the week inspecting roads and bridges. They drove over the new highway to the site of the Copper river bridge and expressed themselves as well pleased with the progress being made. A new Holt tractor has been ordered to replace the Fordson that has worn out. They claim that the grading between Terrace and Usk will be completed by fall. The Copper river bridge will be started as soon as the water will permit and should be completed for the spring traffic. It is hoped to put in a bridge this time that will not be carried away with first freshet. The visitors left for Rupert Monday where they joined the Minister of Public Works, Hon. Dr. Sutherland.

ONE BROKEN WRIST

Mrs. Wm. Thorne's car Wrecked when It left gravel and Then Tried to Climb Bank

Mrs. Wm. Thorne of Smithers is nursing a badly broken wrist, the result of a car accident. Last Thursday she was returning to her home after visiting at Deep Creek. In the car with her were Miss Wakefield and all her own children. Just before reaching McDowell creek the car left the gravel and was then turned back again quickly it tried to climb the steep bank and turned over. Miss Wakefield and the children managed to crawl out but Mrs. Thorne was held under the car by the steering wheel. Miss Wakefield ran back to Mr. Pickett's for assistance which was quickly rendered. H. H. Phillips happened along then and he turned about and took the injured woman to the Telkwa nursing home for medical attention.

The car was badly damaged above the seat tops, but fortunately none of the passengers were hurt and Mrs. Thorne is getting along fine and is able to be around.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. M. Rankin wishes to express her sincere gratitude for the many kindnesses shown her during her recent bereavement, especially the doctors and nurses at the hospital and for the many floral tributes.

CARS IN A COLLISION

As an aftermath of the first of July celebration at Smithers a police court case was heard on Wednesday by Magistrate Hoskins at Smithers. Mr. Pope, a taxi driver for the City Transfer and Ed. Hyde collided on the road around Evelyn. Pope laid an information against Hyde and wanted damages. Hyde was returning home and had three friends with him. Pope was going into Smithers and had two passengers. Both cars were damaged. After the magistrate heard the evidence he found that Hyde was not at fault and dismissed the case.

It is now possible to get to Skeena Crossing over the highway but it is not completed. The Herald is informed that the work being done this year is of a more permanent nature than what was done previously.

Geo. Parent has harvested his timothy and clover hay crop on his town ranch and he got it all in in good shape.

FIRST CATTLE CLUB FORMED

Terrace People are Going into Dairy Business in Earnest—Will Get Good Stock to Start

As a result of the movement in the Terrace district to increase the output of dairy products a cattle club has now been formed there with Henry Frank as the head and his son as secretary. The organization will be completed and the local man sent below to buy the required number of dairy cows. The club was organized according to the provisions made by the Land Settlement Board and the same as numerous clubs were organized in the Bulkley Valley and east. Col. Latta, the chairman of the Board was in Terrace and assisted in getting the club started. He is in charge of the cattle club financing and he gave the Terrace people a lot of valuable help. When the new stock arrives the dairy business will be under way and it is a safe prediction that it will not be long before Terrace farmers will be buying their own cattle and in car lots.

Dr. Turpil went down to Terrace on Thursday morning for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanyer of Francois Lake are guests of Mrs. Sawle.

Terrace Notes

Marjory Kenney left Wednesday to visit Mrs. Nickerson in Rupert.

J. H. Groat, dispatcher at Smithers, is holidaying in town.

Mr. and Mrs. McMeekin of Prince Rupert are here for a holiday.

Mrs. E. M. Smith and baby daughter returned from Prince Rupert on Monday afternoon.

Dr. Bleeker of Queen Charlotte Is. and formerly of Terrace, is a patient in the Prince Rupert hospital.

Messrs. Leroy and Dalquist are in the district this week looking over the cedar conditions. Mr. Leroy is from Seattle and represents one of the biggest cedar pole firms on the Pacific.

Geo. H. Clark of the police force at Prince Rupert was in town the first of the week. None of the local citizens are reported missing yet.

Misses Dorothy and Clara Little are visiting Mrs. Fisher in Rupert.

Mrs. A. Ross and camping party returned from Kallum Lake on Tuesday. The girls had a wonderful time.

Wm. Dobel, an old timer in the Lakelse Valley, has been taken south for the benefit of his health.

Rev. and Mrs. Allen and family are spending two weeks in camp at Lakelse Lake. They hope to have a well earned rest.

F. C. Bishop was brought home last Tuesday night to recuperate.

Mrs. O. T. Sundal entertained four tables at bridge on Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Allen. The prizes were won by Mrs. D. D. Munro and Wm. Donald. A very jolly evening was enjoyed.

Mrs. O. A. Smith and daughter Francis, who spent the week end with her son Henry, left Sunday for her home. They were accompanied by Mrs. S. Hansenchild and Mrs. Northover.

Stanley Brooks has gone to Prince Rupert for a holiday.

Presentation to Rev. T. Marsh on Sunday Last

A unique and interesting occasion was witnessed in St. Matthews church on Sunday evening July 10th. The church was filled to capacity. Rev. W. Barfoot of Saskatoon, but this summer in Prince Rupert, delivered a splendid sermon. After a few words by the rector, Mr. Geo. Dover, the people's warden, read a beautifully illuminated scroll, given by the people of Terrace and under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary, and presented it to Rev. T. J. Marsh. Mr. Marsh made a very feeling reply.

Mrs. Allen, a guest of Mrs. George Little, gave as a solos, "As My Redeemer Liveth."

The following is the wording of the scroll:—"To the Rev. T. J. Marsh, Greetings. The members of this community rejoice in the memory of the years you have served us and desire to express something of what is in our hearts. Deep gratitude is our strong emotion. In our hearts a story is written indelibly; it will not fade with the years; it speaks to us of faith made easier by the transparent goodness of your life. The simple logic of your faith and unselfish service will stand as a potent argument to us of the existence and power of the God you have preached. Though the years have not brought you success as the world counts it, it is our happy privilege to assure you and Mrs. Marsh that while memory lasts, what you have been and are to us, and all whose lives you have entered, will be an echo of what you yourselves have found in the Master you have served so faithfully. May God bless you and yours in your going out and coming in."

W. Thompson and Matt. Allard of Kallum Lake were in town for a day or so recently.

S. C. Gordon and F. H. Hoadly of Aiyansh returned to Terrace last Friday after spending several days in the Burns Lake district.

F. C. Bishop is making a good recovery after his recent illness. His fractured bones are also on the mend.

Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Trefer and family and Mrs. W. S. Yard of Anyox arrived Thursday last week and went on to Kallum Lake for a holiday.

E. C. Morris of the Premier is on a holiday to Kallum Lake where he has hopes of some good fishing.

Mrs. M. W. Hamilton of Prince Rupert spent the week end in town.

J. Capling of Smithers was a business visitor in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Gordon were dinner hosts on Wednesday evening when they entertained a number of friends Mrs. Allen, a guest of Mrs. Geo. Little was the guest of honor.

Word has been received by Miss French that Miss Janet Young had secured honors in her primary theory examinations written in Prince Rupert recently.

Mrs. Bellenger and family, Mrs. Weiss and family and Mrs. S. Hansenchild of Prince Rupert, are holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hansenchild at Paradise Valley.

Mrs. Griffith who had been visiting with Mrs. A. Ross returned to Prince Rupert on Saturday.

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QUICK NEWS

Archie Kerr and J. C. Greene are doing some clearing for W. H. R. Lowe. Mr. Beattie will also assist Mr. Lowe during sheep shearing, Jim being a past master at clipping fleeces and coupons.

Beattie and Brewer are going out on a prospecting trip.

R. McGregor, the pioneer dairyman is having a well earned holiday in Vancouver and nearby dairy centres.

Mrs. Neve went to Winnipeg following the death of her husband.

Quick was well represented at the Smithers celebration. Some took a real holiday and went east over the week end.

Crop reports from the prairies do not seem to have any bulge on Bulkley Valley, and we have been favored with an absence of hail and wind. The first frost on June 30th did not do any harm. The frequent rains have also been absorbed, but there is considerable speculation as to what kind of hay weather July will bring forth.

Mr. Clarkston is around again after being laid up with a badly cut foot.

We might mention that certain rumors about powder prices are based on a lack of knowledge, and are supported by about as much truth as certain other rumors about July 1st.

Grain is now shooting and some was already headed on July 7th. Wheat is in the lead, but oats and barley are coming right along.

Terrace Notes

Mrs. Taper and daughter Lillian of Pacific were here over the week end.

Miss Vera Doodson of Smithers is a guest of Mrs. D. D. Munro.

Jas. Smith was down to Rupert last week.

P. M. Monckton has had a new house boat built at Lakelse Lake and Mrs. Monckton and family have gone out to the lake for the summer. E. T. Kenney and W. H. Burnett have secured cottages at the lake. C. W. Sparkes and family will spend the summer at Lakelse. The roads to both Lakelse and Kallum are in good condition and many local people are making use of them.

Mrs. George Little was a tea hostess on Friday afternoon last in honor of her guest, Mrs. Allen, of Honolulu. In the afternoon solos were given by Rev. Mrs. Allen, Mrs. R. Haney and the guest of honor. Refreshments were served by the hostess with Mrs. Greig presiding at the tea table while Miss Dover and Miss Kenney served.

W. H. Pethick of Smithers was a business visitor over the week end.

J. A. Norris was in town the end of last week.

Mrs. W. Robinson and family of Prince Rupert are spending two weeks holidaying at P. M. Monckton's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Giggy were in Prince Rupert last week returning to Terrace Thursday.

L. H. Kenney returned from his holiday in the south on Saturday, leaving Mrs. Kenney and sons in Vancouver where they will spend the remainder of the summer. He was accompanied home by his sister, Mrs. M. Hemmion and son who will spend a couple of months here.

Mrs. J. H. Thompson and son have arrived for the summer.

The Terrace News is \$2.00 a year.

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Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to the value of \$10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating, at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin, "How Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is \$5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land \$2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and the land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purpose areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by any one person or company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts, and the range administered under the Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued, based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and

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Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fair and son of San Francisco arrived at the Omineca Hotel the first of the week and on Tuesday they left for the Babine to hunt and fish. They will be out several weeks. They took a pack train of ten horses to pack their equipment and supplies.

W. S. Harris spent a couple of days in Prince Rupert this week on business.

Culling Pullets Most Important In Fall Season

The culling of eggs for the incubator is a comparatively simple matter. All under sized, misshapen and over large eggs should be eliminated since experience has taught that the latter two classes do not hatch as well as the normal egg, while the small egg is, from a breeding for egg size standpoint inadvisable.

During the rearing stage, culling should be even more severe, the small and unthrifty, the anaemic and diseased birds being removed immediately upon discovery.

The most important culling is that which is given to the pullets upon putting them into the laying house. The total profits from egg production in the flock depends upon the average production per bird over the entire season, and there is waste in feed, in housing, space and labor if birds of poor quality are put into the laying house at this time. It is better to cull thoroughly when all birds are being handled than to trust to the discovery of the non-producers after the flock is well into the laying period. At this time the careful breeder will also pay vent will be dilated and moist, the pelvic bones flexible and wide apart and the comb red and full, while if not laying the vent will be contracted and dry the pelvic bones rigid and close together and the comb pale and scaly. In judging a bird's past and therefore her probable future production, it has been found that degree of pigmentation is a fairly good guide. Investigators agree that the pellow pigmentation in the vent, eye ring, beak and legs of the fowl fades as production goes on or at least while the ovary is functioning. The order of fading is vent, eye ring, beak and shanks; on the beak from the base to the tip, and on the legs from the front to the sides and back and finally to the back of the hock. As birds vary in intensity of pigmentation at the date of the first egg, a partly bleached bird may have laid more eggs than a completely bleached one, and it is necessary to take the original degree of bleaching into consideration, attention to standard disqualifications and breed type since the market for breeding stock now demands both an attractive and high producing bird.

It is a fact that a bird need only lay a few eggs to pay for her keep during the winter months of high egg prices, consequently rigorous culling need not necessarily be done until the prices begin to drop in the spring. From this time on, however, culling should be steady and severe since those birds which do not lay well in the spring, the natural laying season, certainly will not do so under more adverse circumstances, and when prices are high.

The trap nest is a very efficient aid to culling. The record of bird's actual production is a surer guide to her production and breeding possibilities than is any devised system of selection by external characteristics.

It is important to be able to distinguish between the laying and non-laying birds. If a bird is laying the degree of which can be ascertained by examining the back of the hock. A certain gradation of eggs laid for the amount of bleaching undergone was laid down at one time, but it is now considered that the degree of bleaching is more useful as a comparison of production than as a basis for accurate estimation of past production.

Equally important with pigmentation changes as a consideration in culling, are certain other body characteristics, viz., relative depth of body, width of body, and capacity of abdomen. All other things being equal the bird with the greatest capacity as shown by length and width of back, depth of body and fullness of abdomen will be the best producer. It is well to bear in mind in this connection that too great extremes in his respect amounting to coarseness are undesirable.

able since quality of bone and head are important.

Handling quality an important consideration in culling, is shown mainly in the condition of the abdomen. The important organs of the bird, namely, the bulk of the intestinal tract and the ovaries are located in the abdomen and its size and condition are excellent indications of the birds functional activity. Almost invariably the bird with the large soft, pliable abdomen is in good laying condition. Conversely a hard, rigid abdomen is an indication of stored abdominal fat and hence a low producing bird.

The appearance of the head is still another factor in culling and its importance should not be underestimated. The head, fine in quality with a large comb of fine texture, bright, prominent eye in a roomy socket is ideal. On the other hand the coarse, bony broad head with protruding eye-brows is generally associated with heavy, slow moving, overfat birds, often with a decided tendency towards broodiness.

HINTS ON REARING CHICKS

There may be too much dogmatism regarding the proper method of rearing chicks and feeding them. Given well hatched chicks from good, vigorous, healthy parents and almost any system of feeding, where ordinary common sense is used, good results are likely to be obtained. In many instances there is too much time wasted in fussing with chicks.

Feed tests at the Central Experimental Farm have indicated that equally good results may be obtained where a good mash is fed in hoppers kept constantly before the chicks from the time they are ready to feed—about forty-eight hours—as where the regular feeding five or six times a day is practiced. In conjunction with the mash feed, of course, water, milk, fine grit, and oyster shell and green feed are given. When the chicks are about ten days old a light feed of scratch feed is given daily. When the chicks are a month or six weeks old the chick mash is replaced by growing mash and when about two months old, a hopper of crushed oats in addition to the growing mash is kept before them at all times. This system cuts down greatly the labor of attendance.

See that the chicks have sufficient heat that will enable them to warm up any time they feel like it but avoid keeping the houses closed more than is necessary. Allow the chicks out on range as soon as weather permits.

Prevent crowding in brooder houses by stretching pieces of wire netting across the corners and put in low roosts and encourage chicks to use the roosts as early as possible.

Separate the sex and dispose of all cockerels not to be retained for breeders as soon as they can be satisfactorily marketed.

Good chicks to start with, given good feed, kept in clean, well ventilated not overcrowded houses on clean, fresh green range, and strong, vigorous pullets in the fall which are the only kind that will satisfy the up-to-date successful poultry-man, are assured.

The bill out of Smithers has been the scene of quite a few auto accidents but thus far they have all been pretty lucky. It is one of the eastest hills in the district and that may be a cause of some of the accidents.

L. S. McGill of Smithers left last Friday to attend the Native Sons convention in Calgary. He represented Smithers and also Terrace.

Fred Aiken and wife of Terrace arrived at the Omineca Hotel last Saturday night and on Sunday their car arrived at New Hazelton. As soon as it was unloaded they left on a trip for California cities.

At the New Hazelton station the car platform was completed last week. It is now the work of but a minute to load or unload a car here.

CAMP= FIRE PERMITS

This year it is necessary to have a permit from some Forest Officer before any camp-fire may be set in any forest or woodland

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Jessie MacKay arrived from Cal-
gary the first of the week and is now
a guest of Lois Anderson in Hazelton.

Mrs. S. H. Senkpiel and son Sammy
were both under the doctor's care this
week.

Mrs. Greenha of Smithers was a vis-
itor at Mrs. F. Salts on Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Parent and two younger
sons arrived home Sunday morning for
the summer holidays.

The New Hazelton Sunday school
has closed down for the summer. It
will resume the first Sunday in Sept.

Mrs. M. L. Larkworthy celebrated
her 88th birthday at her home on the
29th of June. The Stratford Beacon
of the 30th said:—"About twenty
friends of Mrs. G. Larkworthy, Sen.,
gathered at her home 244 Ontario St.,
yesterday afternoon and tendered her
a surprise party in honor of her birth-
day. Mrs. Larkworthy was made the
recipient of many lovely gifts including
beautiful bouquets of roses. Afternoon
tea was served.

Arthur Wrinch spent a few days at
home last week, returning to the Du-
thie mine on Saturday night.

Dr. Leonard Wrinch is now in Cali-
fornia taking a post graduate course
in a hospital where he is also assist-
ant to the medical superintendent.

Last Thursday evening Mrs. Mathie-
son, matron at the Hazelton hospital
was hostess to a large number of her
friends. She entertained at bridge,
there being eleven tables. The prizes
were won by Mrs. Wm. Gow and Mrs.
Chappell, and Wm. Gow and R. S.
Sargent. The affair was held in the
nurses residence.

Last Friday afternoon Misses Cut-
ler and friend arrived at Telkwa where
they will make their head quarters for
the next few weeks. They motored
from Vancouver, camping along the
way and enjoying life generally. The
scenery was all that their cousin, R.
C. M. P. Con. Greenfield told them it
was, but he fell down some on the glo-
rious sunshine and balmy breezes. On
Sunday the four young ladies motor-
ed down to New Hazelton and then
over to the high level bridge and had
supper at Two Mile creek.

Mrs. L. A. Graef and Charlotte left
on Sunday morning for Vancouver to
spend the next year.

Dr. Shewan, wife and family and
Mrs. D. Harris arrived from Vancou-
ver by car. They were accompanied
from Smithers by Mrs. Edgar Harris.
The doctor returned by train Monday
night but the others will remain for
the summer. He was not very enthus-
iastic over the northern roads, and no
one from the south will be. They are
accustomed to wide well gravelled or
paved roads by the scores of miles.
Mrs. D. Harris is looking and feeling
very well and is glad to be back among
her old friends and in the district
where she spent so many years.

J. Fred Ritchie arrived Monday and
on Tuesday accompanied W. S. Harris
to the Silver Cup property. He also
spent a few days in town.

J. H. Buckman and son of Philadel-
phia are guests at the Omineca hotel,
and have been doing some trout fish-
ing with C. W. Dawson.

The minister of agriculture and the
minister of public works were visitors
to Telkwa and district last week.

The Omineca Herald is \$2.00 a year.

Agriculturists Held a Great Meet Terrace

Last Monday night witnessed what
was probably the best agricultural
meeting ever held in this district. The
G. W. V. hall was filled and most of
the audience was from the farms, just
the people and the visitors in town
wanted to talk to. Col. Latta, chair-
man of the Land Settlement Board,
and Mr. Munro, a soil expert connect-
ed with the department of agriculture,
were the chief speakers.

Henry Frank occupied the chair and
he called on Dr. Wriener, the local mem-
ber, to open the meeting. Mr. Latta
was the subject uppermost in the
minds of the audience the doctor dis-
cussed the Milk Inspection Act and
other legislative measures the provin-
cial government had taken with a view
to assisting the dairy farmer.

Col. Latta took up the formation of
cattle clubs and went into detail as to
how they were financed and also dis-
cussed other branches of the work of
his department.

Mr. Munro, provincial agronomist,
then gave a very interesting talk on
soils (his specialty) culture and the
proper feeding of stock. He appar-
ently knew what he was talking of
for the audience listened very atten-
tively and a good deal of what he had
to say took hold. Mr. Munro also had
some things to say about the wire
worm, an animal that has had consid-
erable business with most, if not all,
the spud growers along the Skeena.

Hon. Mr. Barrow, who was to have
been at the meeting went on to Rupert
in order to catch the first boat south
to be present at the hurriedly called
cabinet meeting with the Premier.

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